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In re Application of :
Itzhak Shohar : DECISION ON PETITION
Application No. 09/729,362 :
Filed: December 5, 2000 :
Attorney Docket No. SHO-2000-4:

This is a decision on the "PETITION FOR REVIVAL OF AN APPLICATION FOR PATENT ABANDONED UNINTENTIONALLY UNDER 37 CFR 1.137(b)" filed January 2, 2009. This decision is made in light of the supplements to petition filed January 15, 2009 and February 26, 2009.

The petition is **GRANTED**.

The above-identified application became abandoned effective July 22, 2008 for failure to timely file corrected drawings as required by, and within the three-month period set in, the Notice of Allowability mailed April 21, 2008. A courtesy Notice of Abandonment was mailed on August 15, 2008. By decision mailed December 22, 2008, a prior "PETITION TO WITHDRAW HOLDING OF ABANDONMENT UNDER 37 CFR 1.181" filed September 15, 2008 was dismissed.

In response, applicants filed the instant petition to revive. This petition includes the required reply¹ in the form of corrected drawings; payment of the petition fee set forth in 37 CFR § 1.17(m)²; and the required statement of unintentional delay. No terminal disclaimer is required.

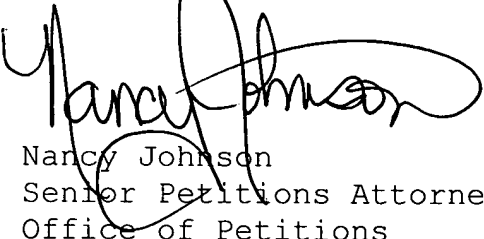
¹ The Issue Fee and Publication Fee were timely paid.

² The petition fee as originally presented on January 2, 2009 did not clear the bank. The fee was resubmitted on January 15, 2009. The processing fee for refusal of the check was submitted on February 26, 2009.

It is concluded that all requirements of 37 CFR 1.137(b) have been met.

The Office of Data Management has been advised of this decision. The application is, thereby, forwarded for processing into a patent.

Telephone inquiries related to this decision should be directed to the undersigned at (571) 272-3219



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